

### REMARKS

The above amendment serves to withdraw Claims 1-10 and Claims 32-53 from consideration at the present time.

A restriction requirement was made under 35 U.S.C. § 121 between Group I, i.e. Claims 1-10; Group II, i.e. Claims 11-31; Group III, i.e. Claims 32-49; and Group IV, i.e. Claims 50-53. The claims of Group I are drawn to an ethylenically unsaturated macromer; the claims of Group II are drawn to a pre-formed stabilizer; the claims of Group III are drawn to a polymer polyol; and the claims of Group IV are drawn to a polyurethane.

In response to this restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121, Applicants have withdrawn the claims in Groups I, III and IV. Applicants elect to prosecute the invention of Group II, i.e. Claims 11 -31 at this time. These claims are drawn to a pre-formed stabilizer.

In addition, Applicants were required to comply with the Election of Species requirement as set forth in the Office Action (see page 4, sections 9-10). Specifically, under 35 U.S.C. 121, Applicants were required to elect a single disclosed species for A, A', n, X, R and R' for prosecution on the merits. It is also necessary that Applicants provide a listing of all claims readable on the elected species.

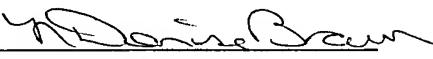
In response to the Election of Species within Claims 11-31 of Group II, Applicants elect the pre-formed stabilizer in which:

A:	represents a methyl group,
A':	represents a hydrogen atom,
n:	represents 1,
X:	represents oxygen,
and	
R and R':	each represent a methyl group.

Applicants respectfully submit that each of Claims 11-31 of Group II are readable on the above identified species.

It is respectfully requested that the present amendment fully addresses the Office Action dated September 28, 2005. In view of the preceding amendments, Applicants respectfully request the allowance of Claims 11-31.

Respectfully submitted,

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